# FLYING A DRONE FOR LIMITED RECREATIONAL PURPOSES AS PERMITTED BY 49 U.S.C. § 44809

## **FOLLOW THESE KEY SAFETY** TIPS FOR FLYING YOUR DRONE TO KEEP THE AIRSPACE SAFE

#### **BEFORE YOU FLY YOUR DRONE**

- 1) Register your drone at FAADroneZone (faadronezone.faa.gov), display the FAAissued registration number on the outside surface of the aircraft, and carry your proof of registration with you.
- 2) Complete The Recreational UAS Safety Test (TRUST) and carry proof of completion with you. (See faa.gov/trust.)
- 3) Visit the FAA Drone Zone for the latest safety information.
- 4) Download the B4UFLY mobile app for easy access to check airspace restrictions.

### WHEN YOU FLY YOUR DRONE

- 5) Follow the safety guidelines of a community-based organization.
- 6) Do NOT fly in controlled airspace (around and above many airports) unless you have received authorization from the FAA through the Low Altitude Authorization and Notification Capability (LAANC) or FAADroneZone. (See faa.gov/laanc or faadronezone.faa.gov.)

- Do NOT fly in airspace where drones are prohibited. Use the B4UFLY mobile app to confirm there are no airspace restrictions where you plan to fly. (See faa.gov/drones for more information on airspace restrictions.)
- 8) Fly your drone at or below 400 feet when in uncontrolled airspace.
- 9) Keep your drone within your line-ofsight, or within the line-of-sight of a visual observer who is co-located and in direct communication with you if flying first person view (FPV).
- 10) Give way and never interfere with traditional aircraft.
- 11) Avoid flying over people or public events.
- 12) Avoid flying near emergencies such as accident response, law enforcement activities, firefighting, or natural disaster recovery efforts.
- 13) Avoid operating your drone in a dangerous or unsafe manner, such as carrying hazardous materials or attaching dangerous items that could cause death or serious
- 14) Understand that drugs or alcohol may impair your ability to fly your drone safely.

The FAA may pursue enforcement action against any person operating drones who endangers the safety of the national airspace system.

FOR ALL OTHER DRONE FLYING





# FLYING YOUR DRONE FOR ANY PURPOSE OTHER THAN I IMITED RECREATION

### **FOLLOW THESE KEY SAFETY RULES FOR FLYING YOUR DRONE TO KEEP THE AIRSPACE SAFE**

### BEFORE YOU FLY YOUR DRONE

- 1) **Register your drone** at FAADroneZone (faadronezone.faa.gov), display the FAAissued registration number on the outside surface of the aircraft, and carry your proof of registration with you.
- 2) Become an FAA-Certificated Remote Pilot.
- 3) Request waivers, when necessary to facilitate your operations, through the FAADroneZone (faadronezone.faa.gov), and carry your waiver(s) with you when you are flying.
- 4) Keep your remote pilot certificate current.

- and Notification Capability (LAANC) or FAADroneZone. (See faa.gov/laanc or faadronezone.faa.gov.)
- 7) **Do NOT fly** in airspace where drones are prohibited. Use the B4UFLY mobile app to confirm there are no airspace restrictions where you plan to fly. (See faa.gov/drones for more information on airspace restrictions.)
- 8) Give way and never interfere with traditional aircraft.
- 9) Avoid flying near emergencies such as accident response, law enforcement activities, firefighting, or natural disaster recovery efforts.
- 10) Never carry hazardous materials or attach a dangerous weapon to your drone.

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### WHEN YOU FLY YOUR DRONE

- 5) Operate under 14 Code of Federal Regulations part 107 (the Small UAS Rule).
- 6) Do NOT fly in controlled airspace (around and above many airports) unless you have received authorization from the FAA through the Low Altitude Authorization

FOR LIMITED RECREATIONAL DRONE FLYING

